

# ***Diffraction at CDF***

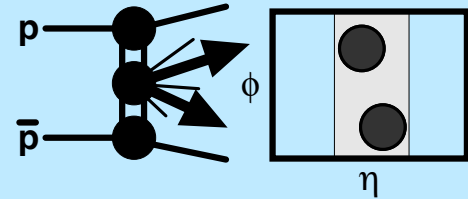
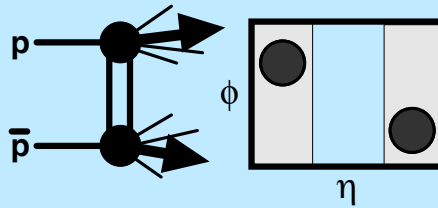
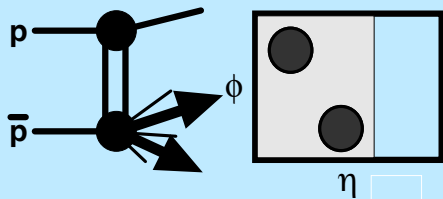
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# Diffraction at CDF in Run I



## Soft Diffraction

### Single Diffraction

PRD 50, 5355 (1994)

### Double Diffraction

PRL 87, 141802 (2001)

### Double Pomeron Exc.

Accepted by PRL

### Multi-Gap Diffraction

PRL 91, 011802 (2003)

## Hard Diffraction

### Rapidity Gap Tag

W PRL 78, 2698 (1997)  
 Dijets PRL 79, 2636 (1997)  
 b-quark PRL 84, 232 (2000)  
 J/Ψ PRL 87, 241802 (2001)

### Roman Pot Tag

#### Dijets:

1.8 TeV PRL 84, 5043 (2000)  
 630 GeV PRL 88, 151802 (2002)

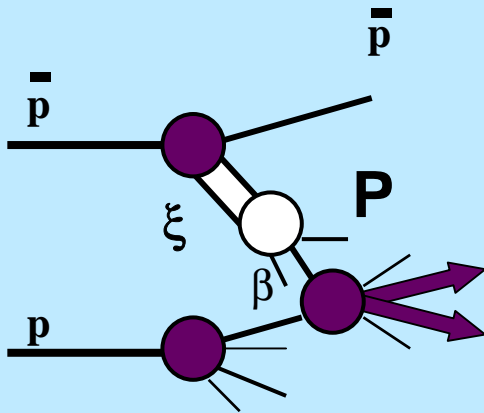
### Jet-Gap\_Jet

1.8 TeV PRL 74, 855 (1995)  
 1.8 TeV PRL 80, 1156 (1998)  
 630 GeV PRL 81, 5278 (1998)

#### Dijets:

1.8 TeV PRL 85, 4217 (2000)

# The Diffractive Structure Function



**Subject of interest:**

Hard diffraction process  
production of high  $p_T$  dijets

Study the diffractive structure function

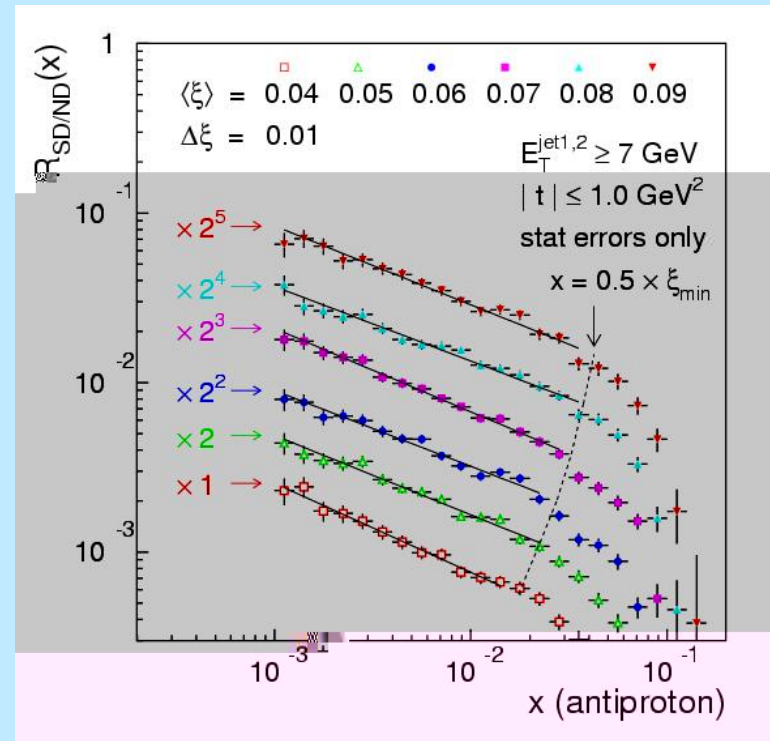
$$F_{jj}^D(x, Q^2, \xi) = g^D(x, Q^2, \xi) + \frac{4}{9} q^D(x, Q^2, \xi)$$

Measure ratio of SD to ND:

$$R_{\frac{SD}{ND}}(x_p, \xi) = \frac{\sigma(SD_{jj})}{\sigma(ND_{jj})}$$

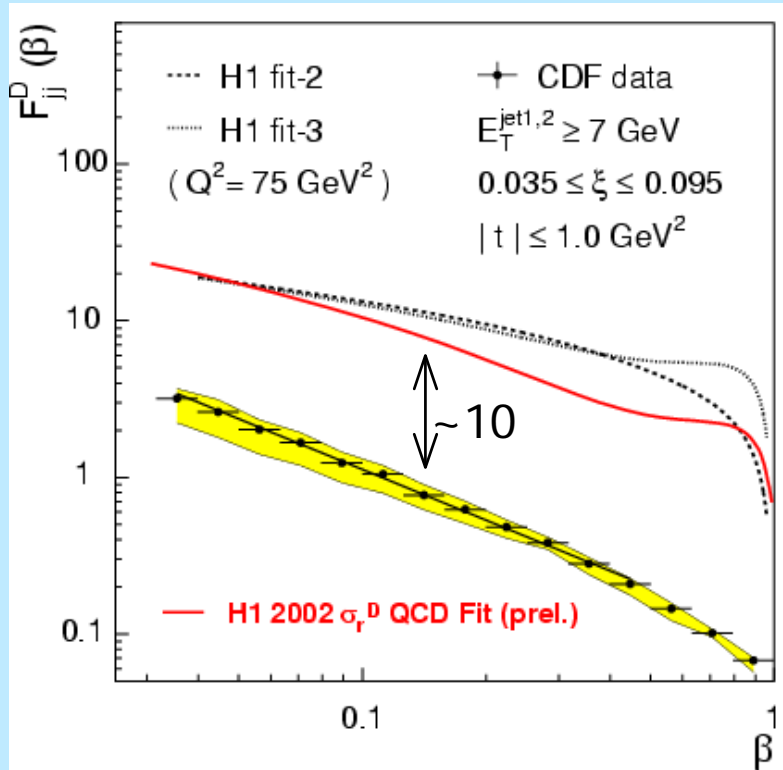
$$F_{jj}^D(x_p, Q^2, \xi) = R_{\frac{SD}{ND}}(x_p, \xi) \times F_{jj}(x_p, Q^2)$$

$$x = \beta \xi$$

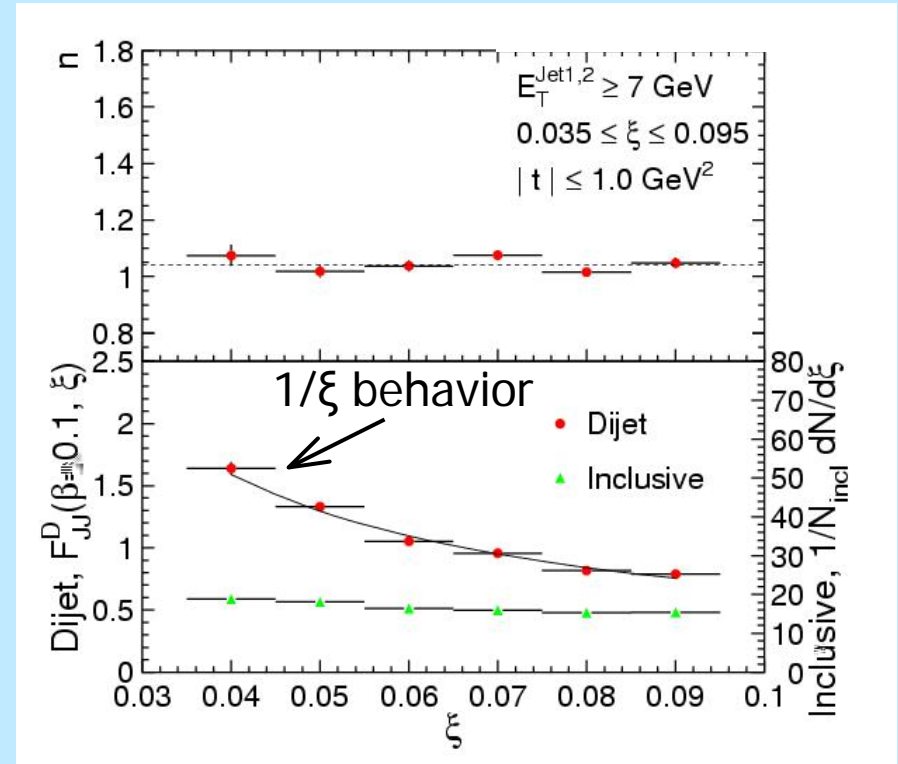




# The Diffractive Structure Function: Run I



**discrepancy in normalization**  
  
**QCD factorization breakdown**



$$F_{ij}^D = C \beta^{-n} \xi^{-m}$$

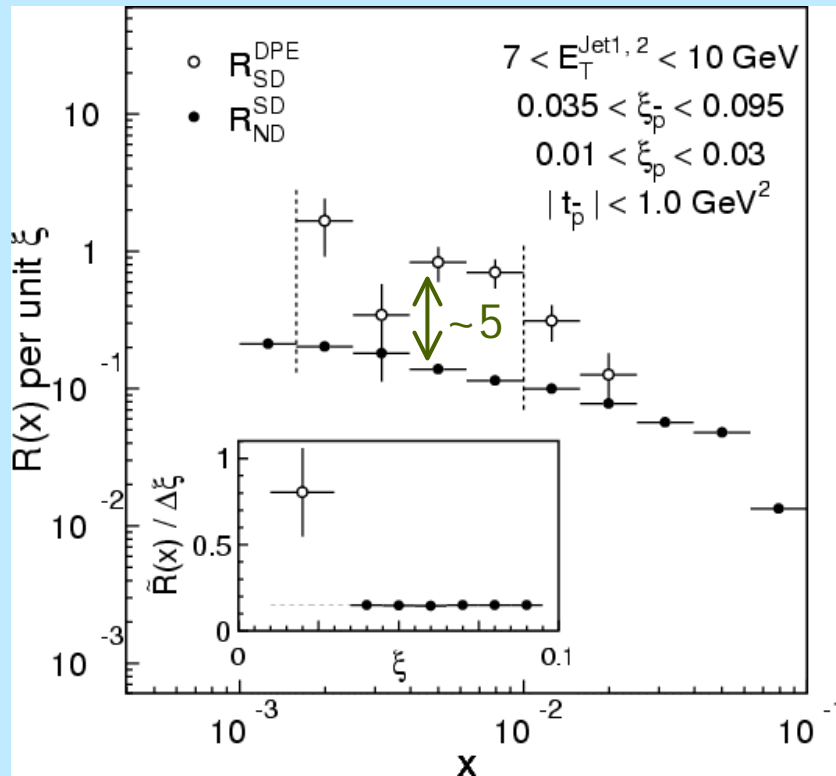
Regge factorization holds

for  $\beta < 0.5$   
 $n = 1.0 \pm 0.1$   
 $m = 0.9 \pm 0.1$

**Pomeron exchange**

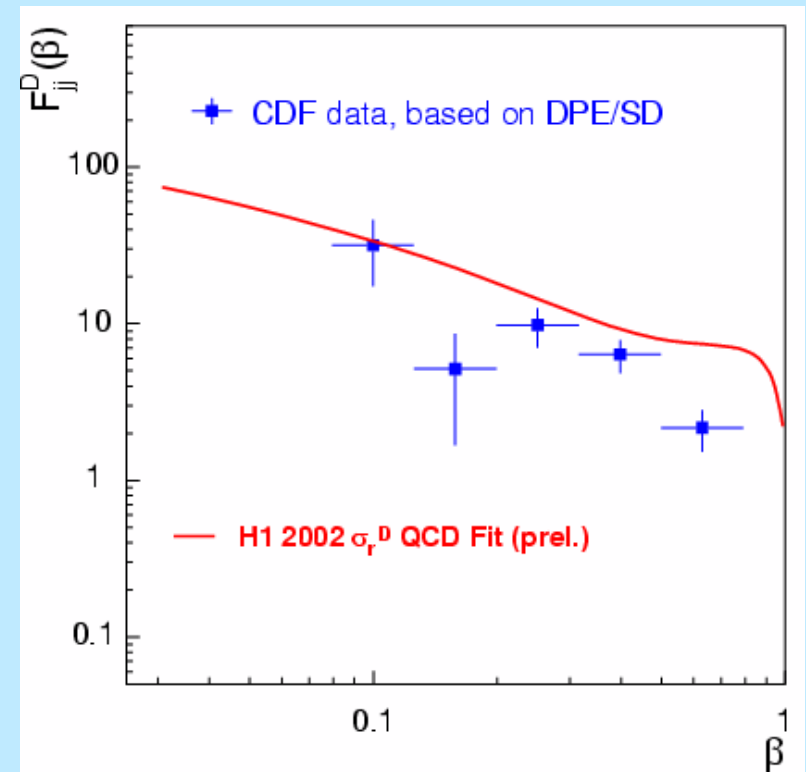


# The Diffractive Structure Function using DPE dijets: Run I



$$R_{ND}^{SD} / R_{SD}^{DPE} = 0.19 \pm 0.07$$

see prediction from  
*K. Goulianos hep-ph/0203141*



$F_{ij}^D(\beta)$  measured using DPE dijets  
 is  $\approx$  to expectations from HERA

Factorization holds?



# Run II



## Tevatron:

$\sqrt{s} = 1.96 \text{ TeV}$

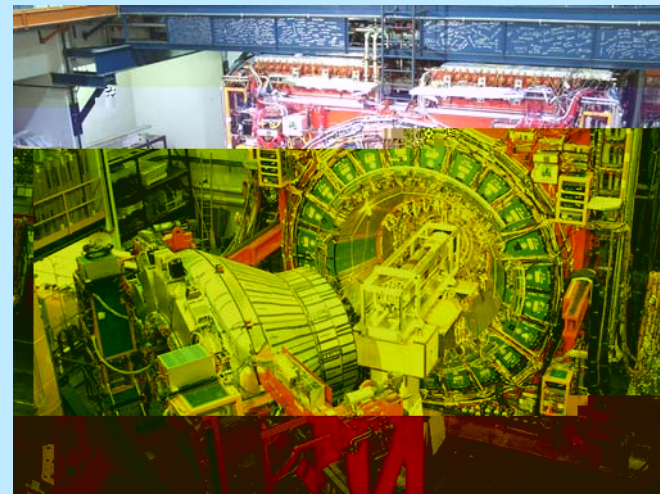
396 nsec bunch spacing 36x36

600 pb<sup>-1</sup> of luminosity delivered as of August 2004

## CDF:

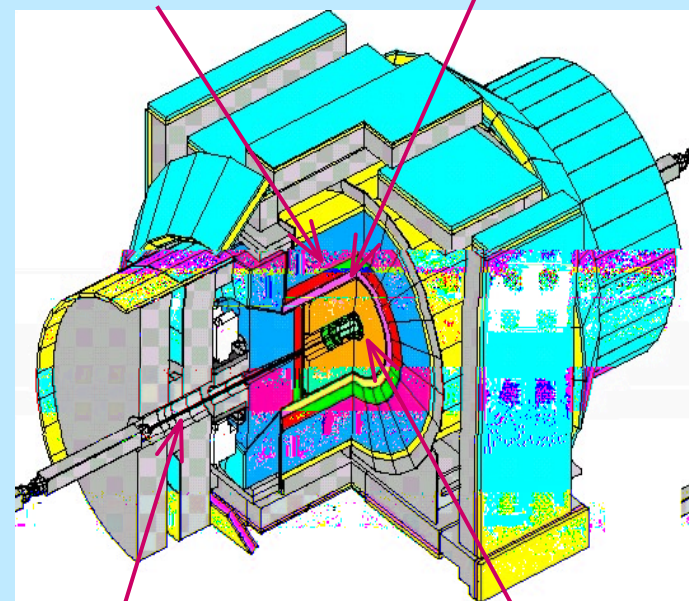
Data taking efficiency: ~ 80-90%  
430 pb<sup>-1</sup> of data on tape

Forward detectors fully integrated



Cent. Calorimeter

Solenoid

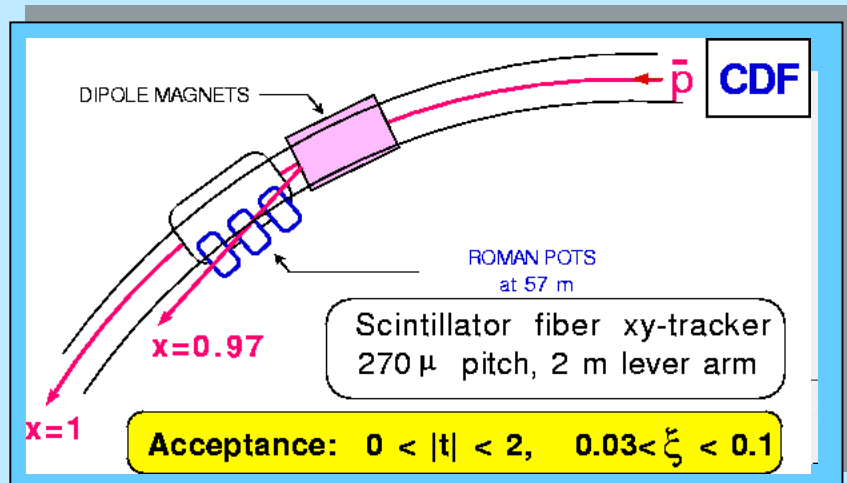


MiniPlug  
Calorimeter

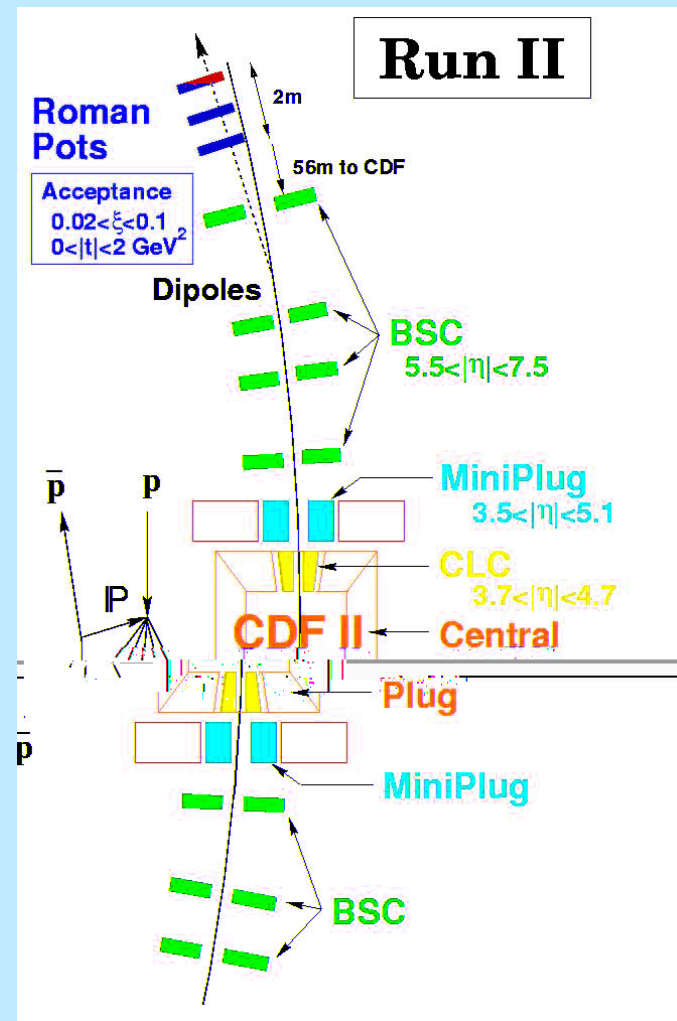
Central  
Tracker



# Run II: Forward Detectors



**Scintillation counters:**  
detect particles traveling from IP along beam pipe  
 $5.5 < |\eta| < 7.5$  coverage



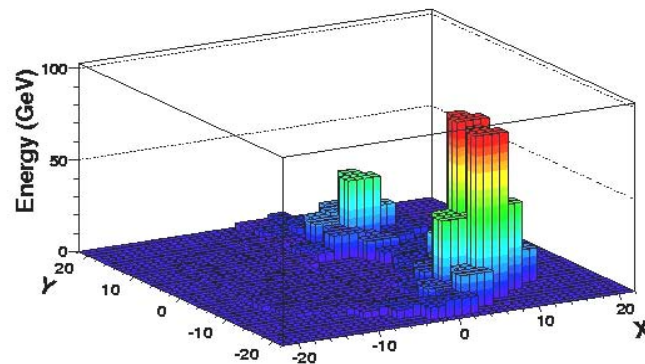




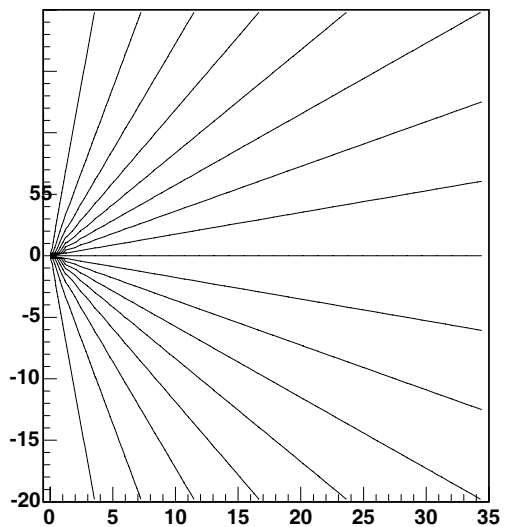
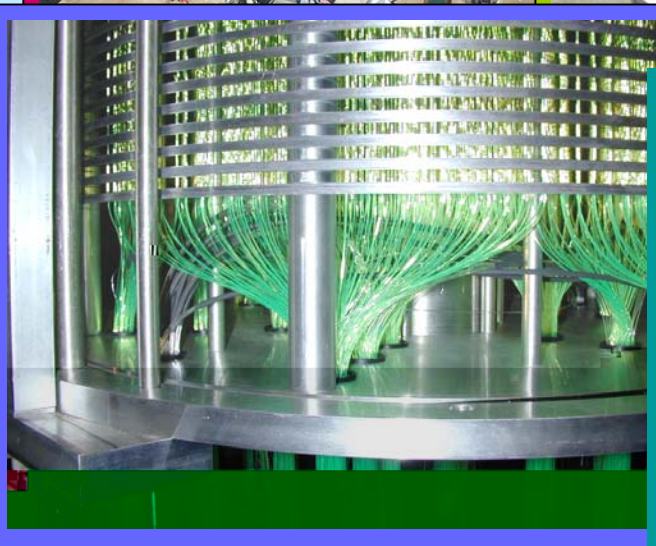
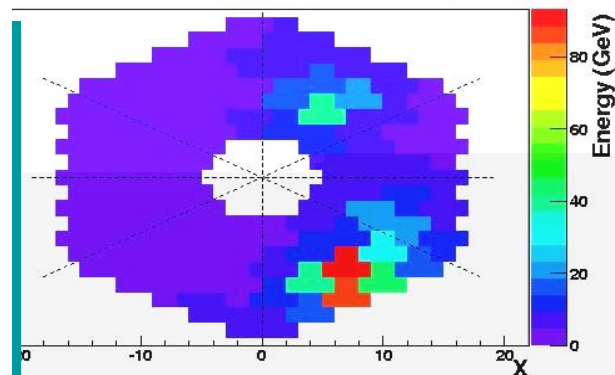
# Run II: MiniPlug Design



MP-West Tower Energy: Run 152118, Event 106981



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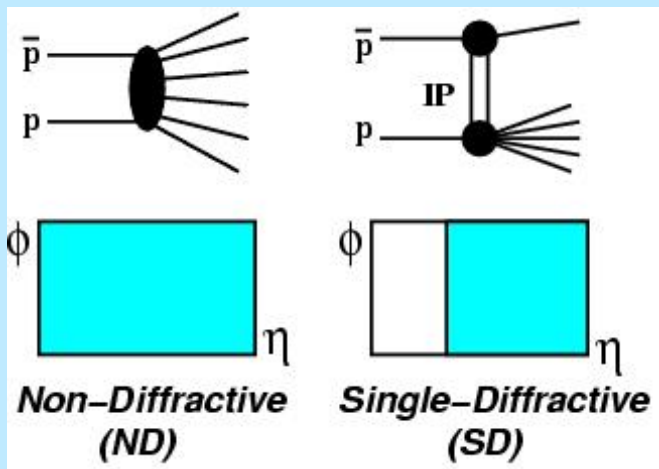






# Run II: Diffractive Dijets

## Process



## Data:

ND :  
J5 trigger

$\geq 1$  cal. tower  
with  $E_T > 5$  GeV

SD :  
RP+J5 trigger

leading  $\bar{p}$  +  
 $\geq 1$  cal. tower  
with  $E_T > 5$  GeV

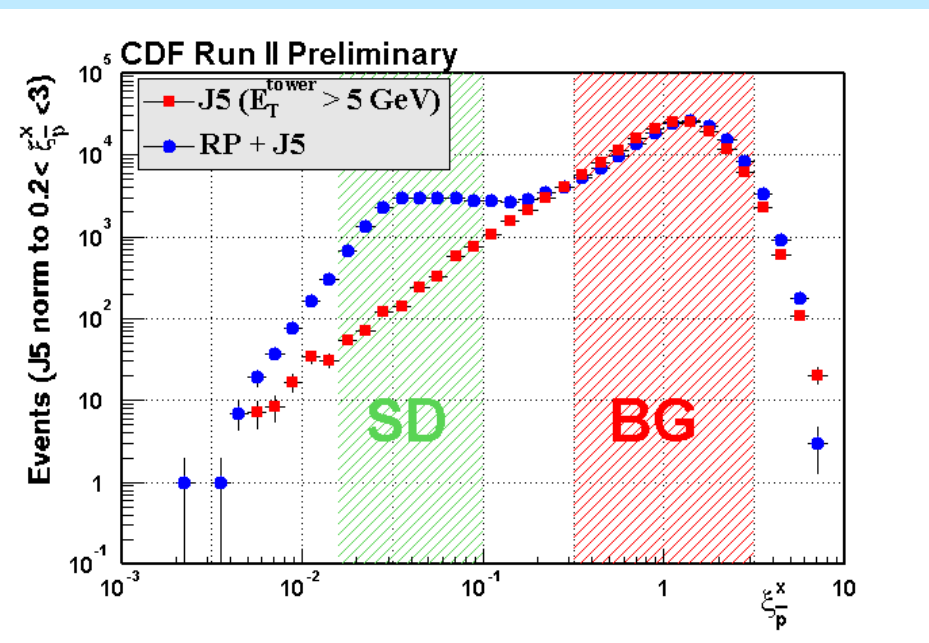
## Method

measure  $\xi$  from calorimeter information  
sum all towers except  $\bar{p}$

$$\xi_{\bar{p}}^X = \frac{M_X^2}{s} \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{s}} \sum_i E_T^i e^{-\eta^i}$$

MP energy scale:  $\pm 25\% \rightarrow \Delta \log \xi = \pm 0.1$

RP acceptance ( $0.03 < \xi < 0.1$ )  $\sim 80\%$  (Run I)





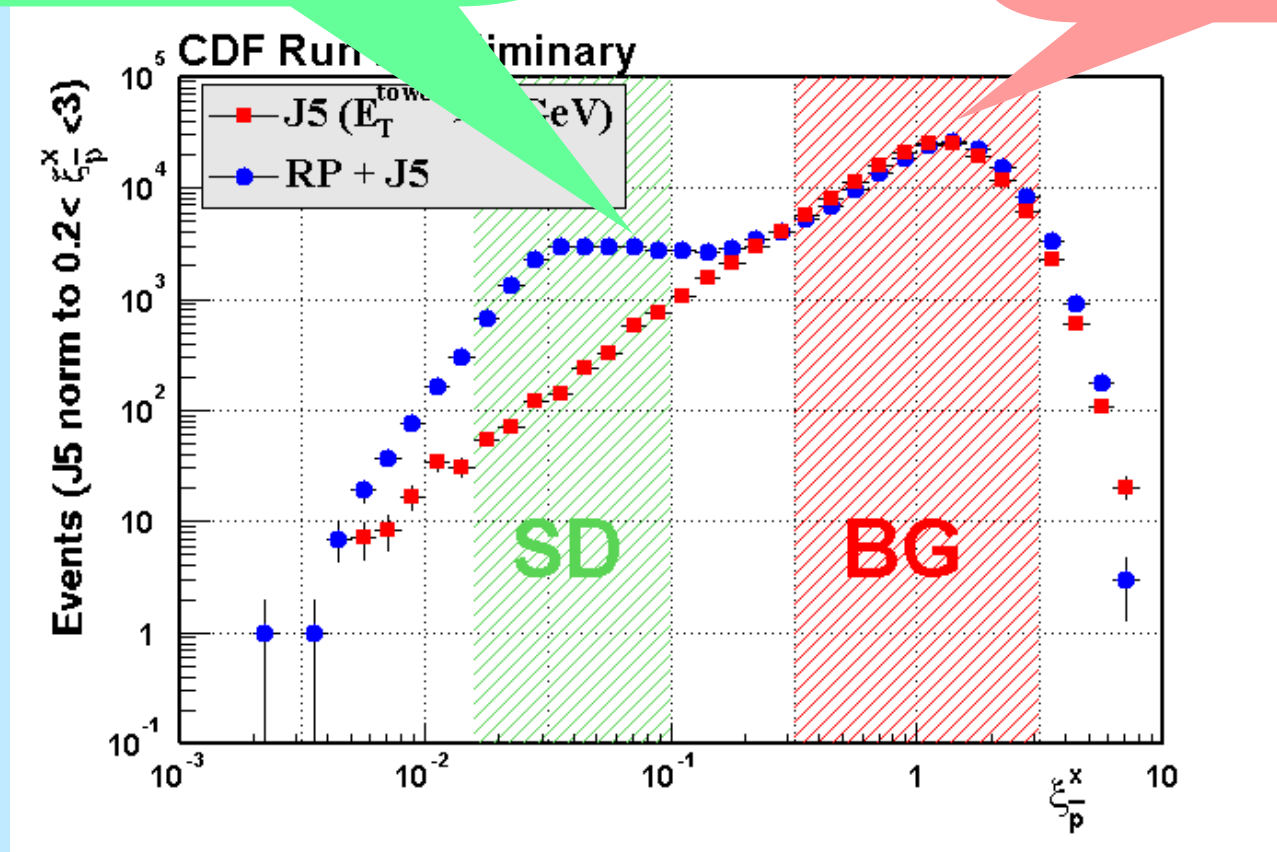
# Run II: Diffractive Dijets

Flat part at  $\xi < 0.1$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\xi} \propto \frac{1}{\xi} \rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{d(\log \xi)} = \text{const}$$

Peak at  $\xi = 1$

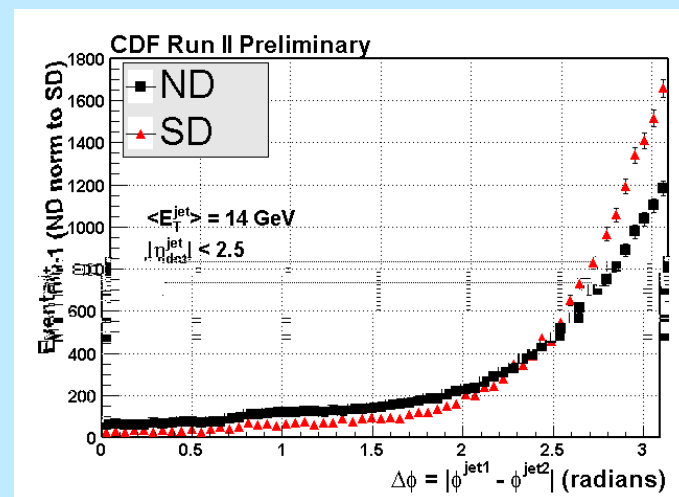
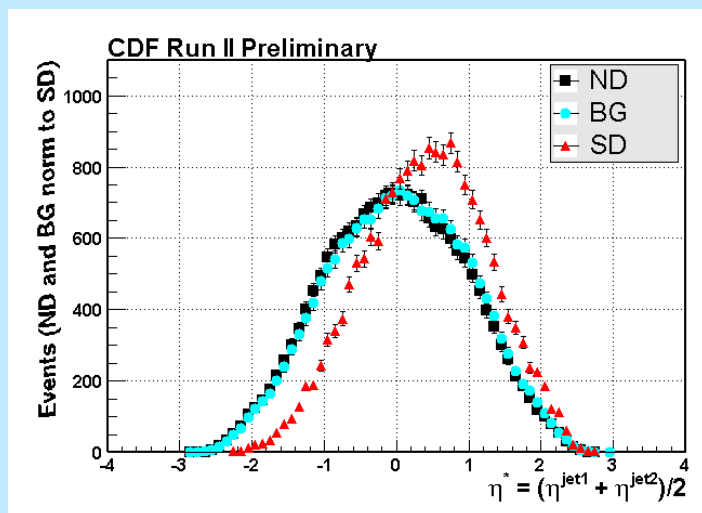
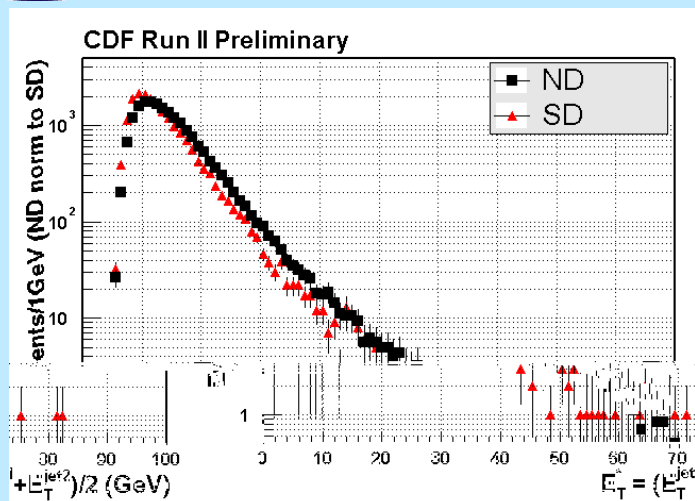
-overlap events from multiple interactions





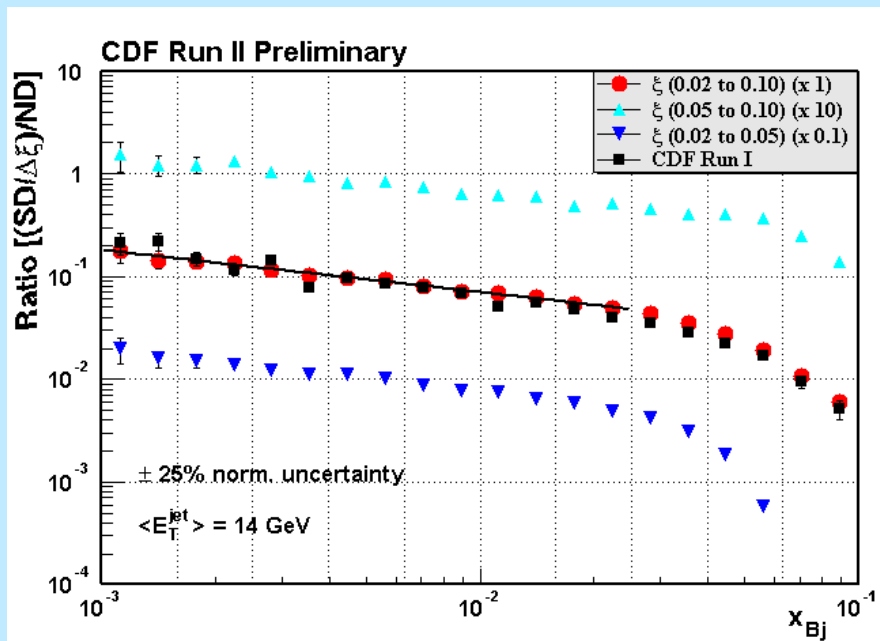
# Run II: Diffractive Dijets

Distributions for SD and ND samples





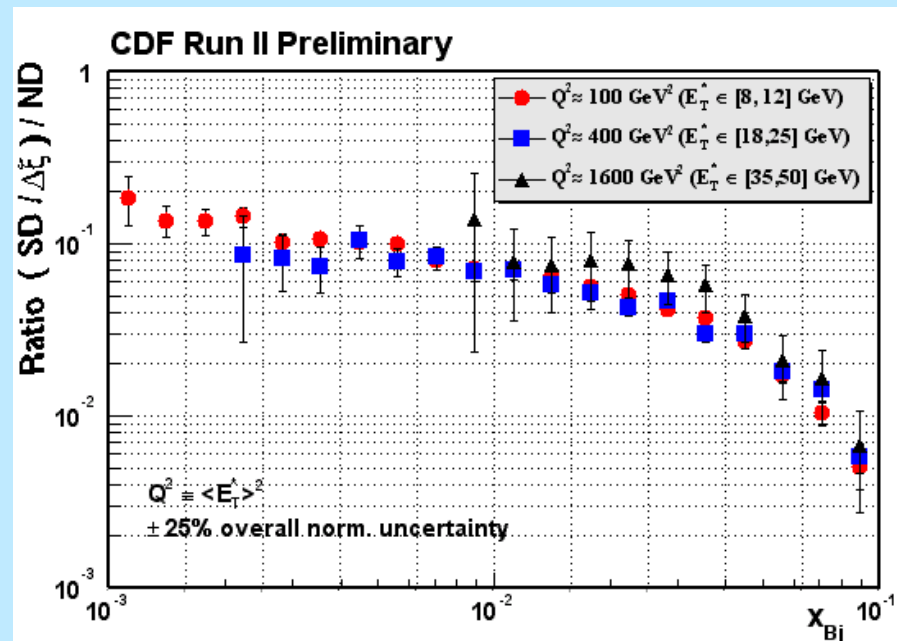
# Diffractive Structure Function



Ratio of SD to ND dijet event rates as a function of  $x_{Bj}$  compared with Run I

No  $\xi$  dependence is observed within  $0.03 < \xi < 0.1$

Confirms Run I result



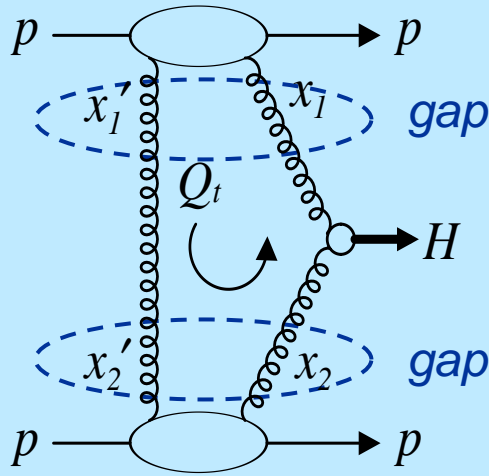
Ratio of SD to ND dijet event rates as a function of  $x_{Bj}$  for different values of  $Q^2 \equiv E_T^2$

No appreciable dependence is observed for  $100 < Q^2 < 1600 \text{ GeV}^2$

Pomeron evolves like proton?



# Diffraction Higgs Production in DPE



Bialas and Landshoff  
Khoze, Martin, Ryskin  
Boonekamp, Peschanski, Royon

To calibrate Diffractive Higgs predictions



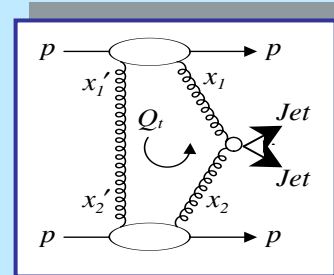
exclusive production in DPE

Exclusive **Dijets**:

$$gg^{PP} \rightarrow gg$$

large cross section

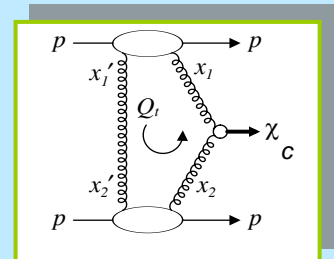
exclusive  $gg^{PP} \rightarrow q\bar{q}$  suppressed



Exclusive  $\chi_c^0$ :  $gg^{PP} \rightarrow \chi_c^0$

small cross section

clean signal



**Attractive channel for Higgs discovery at LHC**

Standard Model light Higgs:

$$p + p \rightarrow p + H(\rightarrow b\bar{b}) + p$$

"exclusive channel"  $\rightarrow$  clean signal

$$M_H = M_{miss} = (s \cdot \xi_p \cdot \xi_{\bar{p}})^{1/2}$$

$$\sigma_H^{excl} \sim 3 \text{ fb},$$

signal/background  $\sim 3$  @ LHC (if  $\Delta M_{miss} = 1 \text{ GeV}$ )



# Exclusive Dijets in DPE: Run I

*PRL 85, 4215 (2000)*

132 inclusive DPE dijets:

events triggered by RP

kinematics:  $0.035 < \xi < 0.095$

$2.4 < \eta_{gap} < 5.9$

$2 \text{ jets}, E_T > 7 \text{ GeV}$

Dijet mass fraction

$$R_{jj} = \frac{M_{jj}}{M_X},$$

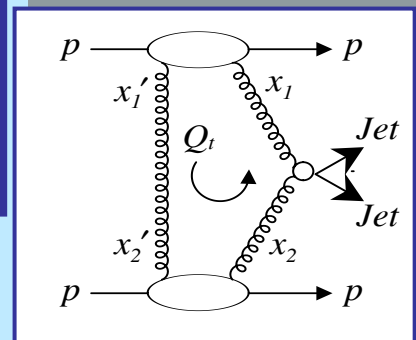
$M_{jj}$  - invar. mass of 2 lead. jets

$M_X$  - mass of the whole system,  
except  $p$  and  $\bar{p}$

expected shape of  
exclusive dijets

$$\sigma_{excl} < 3.7 \text{ nb (95\% CL)}$$

Khoze, Martin, Ryskin:  
 $\sim 1 \text{ nb}$  (factor 2 uncertainty)  
for Run I kinematics





# DPE Signal in SD Trigger Data

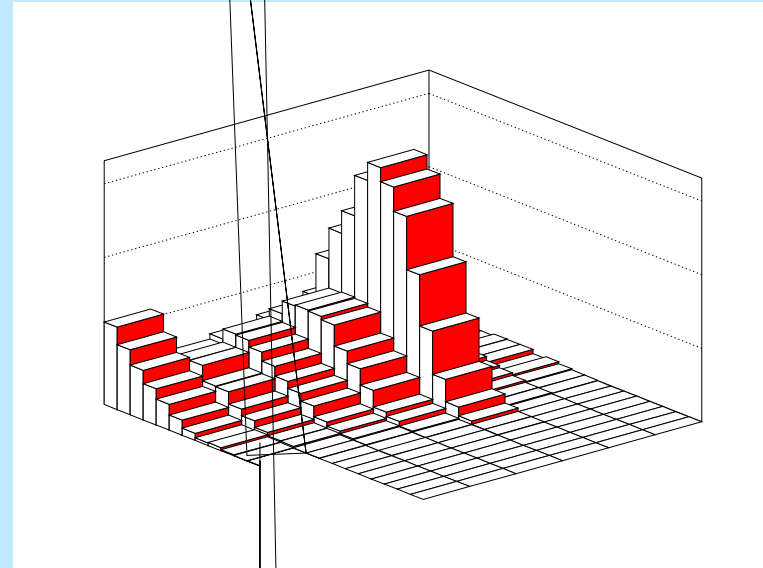
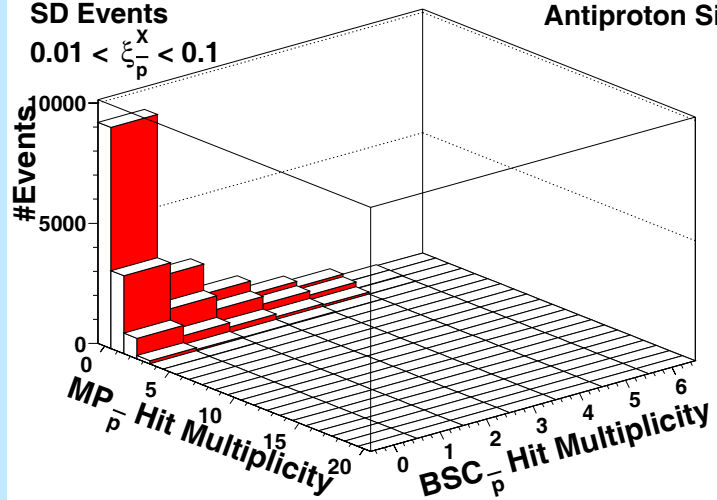
CDF Run II Preliminary

SD Events

$0.01 < \xi_p^X < 0.1$

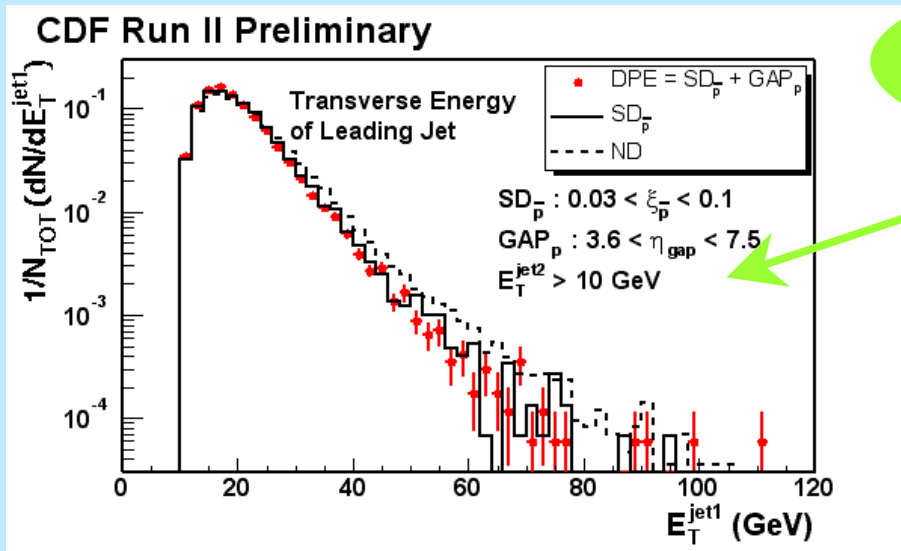
RP+Jet5

Antiproton Side





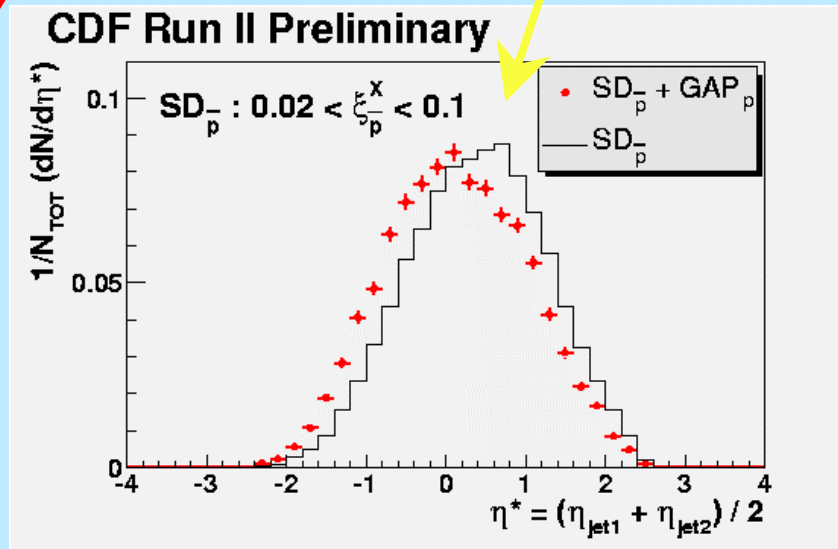
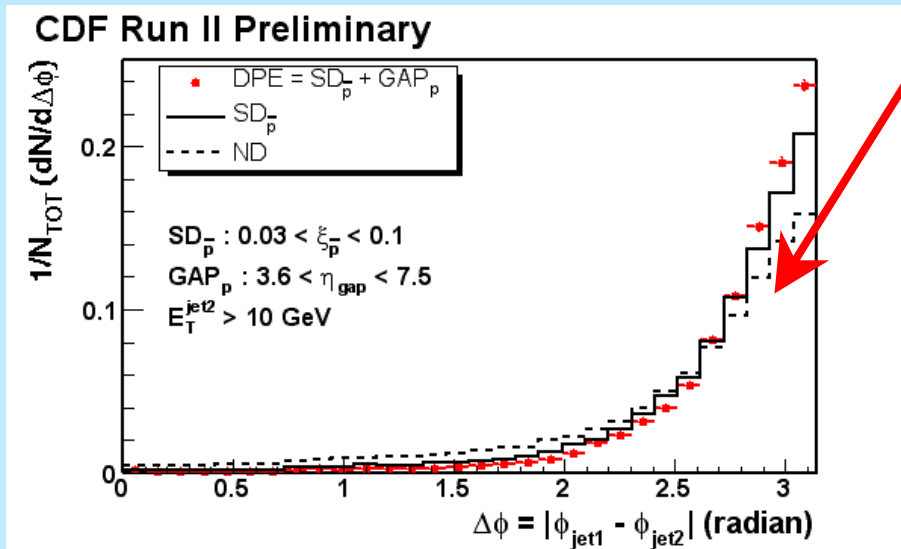
# Kinematic Distributions



DPE jet  $E_T$  steeper than ND

$$\overline{\Delta\Phi}_{DPE} > \overline{\Delta\Phi}_{SD} > \overline{\Delta\Phi}_{ND}$$

SD jets boosted away from  $\bar{p}$







# Dijet Mass Fraction

## Exclusive Dijet Cross Section Limit

Triggered by RP+J5+BSC(E) gap

$$|\eta^{jet_{1,2}}| < 2.5$$

$$0.03 < \xi_{\bar{p}} < 0.1$$

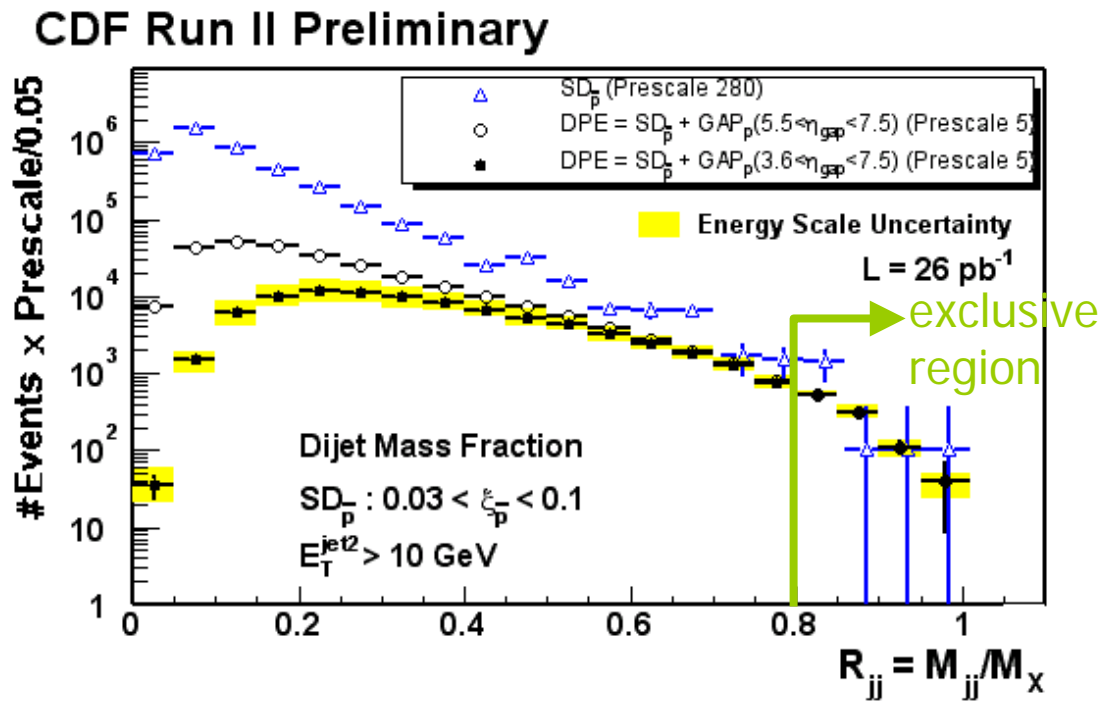
$$3.6 < \eta_{gap} < 7.5$$

$$R_{cone} = 0.7$$

$R_{jj}$  falls smoothly as  $R_{jj} \rightarrow 1$   
no significant excess at high  $R_{jj}$

Khoze, Martin, Ryskin  
Eur.Phys.J, C23,311 (2002)

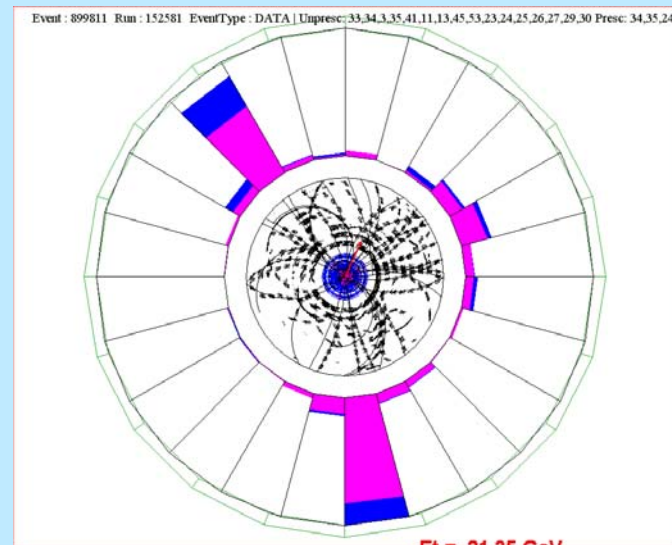
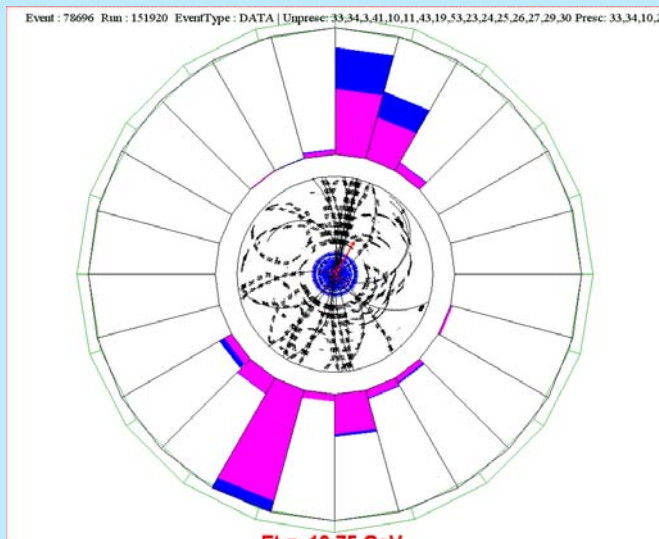
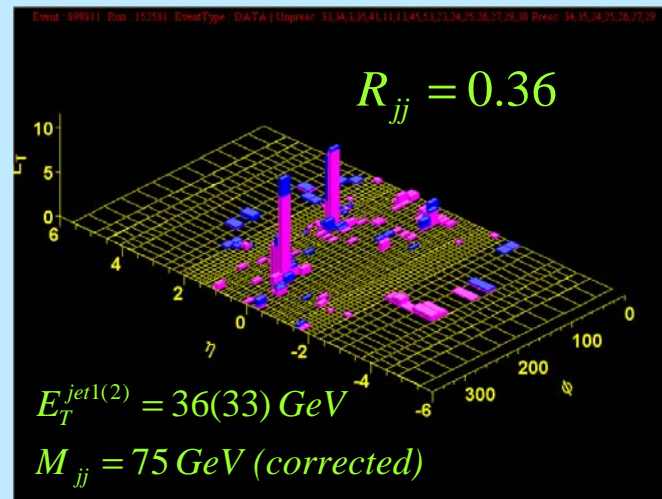
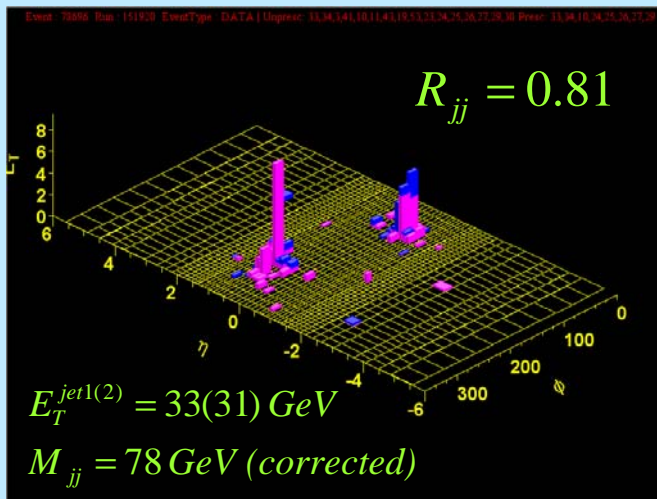
Theoretical predictions:  
~60pb (factor of 2 uncertainty)



$E_T^{jet1}$	$\sigma_{DPE}(R_{jj} > 0.8)$
> 10 GeV	$970 \pm 65(stat) \pm 272(syst) \text{ pb}$
> 25 GeV	$34 \pm 5(stat) \pm 10(syst) \text{ pb}$



# Exclusive Dijet Events





# Extracting Exclusive Dijets in DPE: Prospects

## Experimental Method

normalize  $R_{jj}$  for all jets to  $R_{jj}$  for  $Q\bar{Q}$  jets  
look for excess as  $R_{jj} \rightarrow 1$

*pros:* many exp. systematics canceled out  
HF quarks identifies well:  
g mistag @ O(1%)

*cons:* heavy quark mass  
→ contribution from exclusive b/c

## Supplemental analysis:

Difference of quark and gluon jets:

charged particle multiplicity in jet:  $N_{jet}$   
 $N_{g-jet} \cong 1.6 N_{q-jet}$  (CDF Run I result)

study how  $N_{jet}$  behaves as  $R_{jj} \rightarrow 1$

*pros:* sensitivity to light quark jets

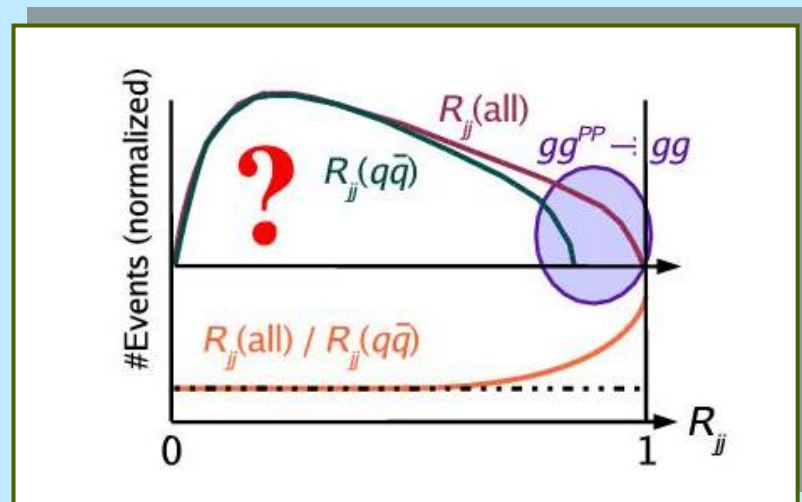
*cons:* light q/g jets are not well separated

## Theory

$gg \rightarrow gg$  contribution is dominant in LO  
 $gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}$  is suppressed when  $M_{jj} \gg m_q$

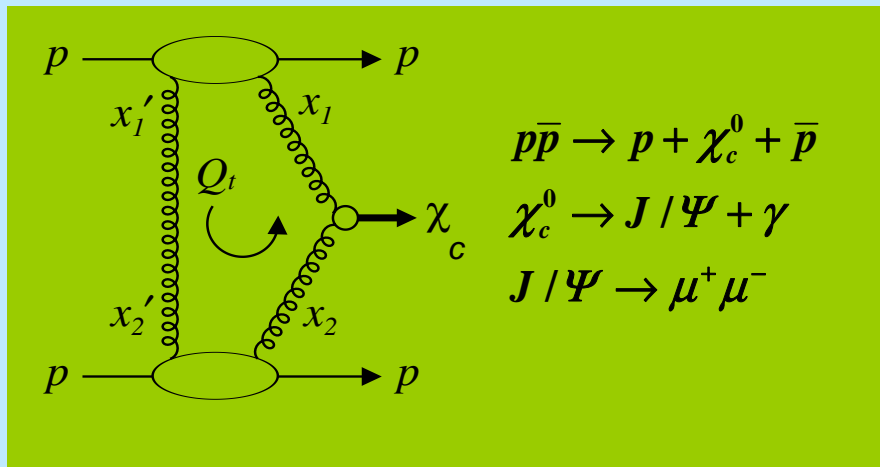
**use  $q\bar{q}$  suppression mechanism:**

exclusive  $gg \rightarrow gg$  might manifest itself as an excess over inclusive  $q\bar{q}$  at high  $R_{jj}$





# Exclusive $\chi_c^0$ Production in DPE



## Event Selection:

Di-muon trigger –

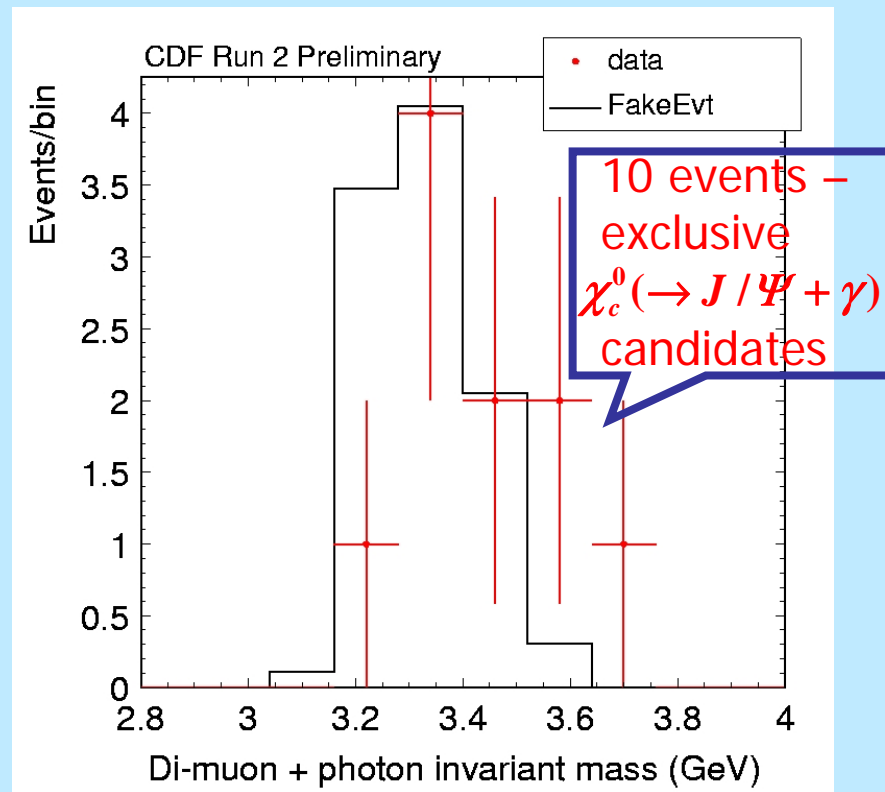
muon  $p_T > 1.5$  GeV,  $|\eta| < 0.6$

Reject cosmic rays

with time of flight information

Select events in  $J/\Psi$  mass window

Require large gaps on both p and p sides



Data sample 93 pb<sup>-1</sup>

BSC+MP gap

Calor.+CLC+trk+muon veto

EM tower

107 events

23 events

10 events





# Exclusive $\chi_c^0$ Cross Section Limit

Khoze, Martin, Ryskin  
Eur. Phys. J. C19, 477 (2001)

Theoretical Predictions:

$$\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow p + \chi_c^0 + \bar{p}) \approx 600 \text{ nb}$$

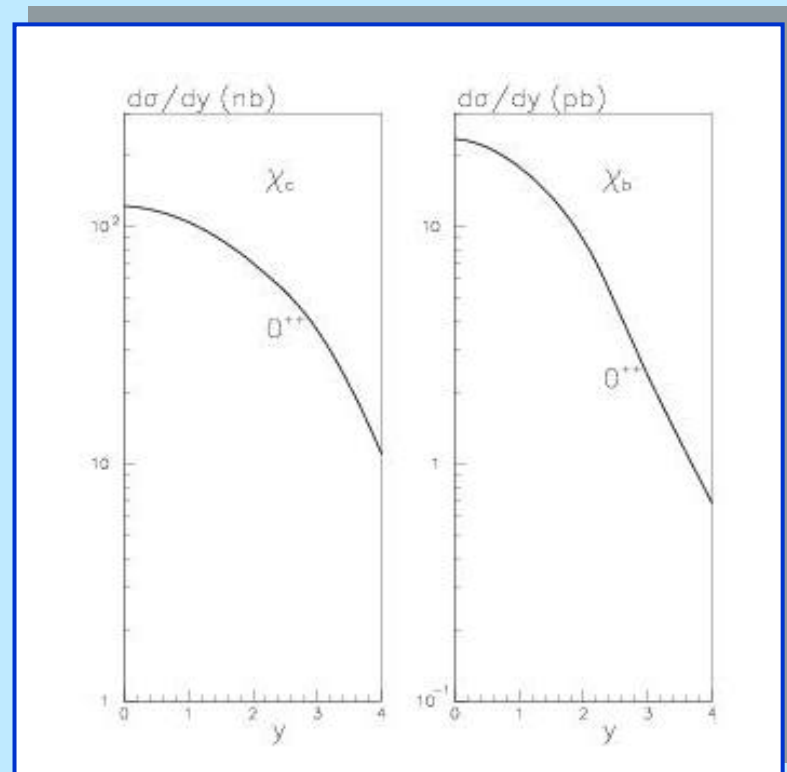
factor 2-5 uncertainty

$$\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow p + \chi_c^0 (\rightarrow J/\Psi + \gamma) + \bar{p}) \\ \approx 70 \text{ pb at } |y^{J/\Psi}| < 0.6$$

Assuming 10 events are all  $J/\Psi + \gamma$

$$|y^{J/\Psi}| < 0.6, p_T^{J/\Psi} > 2 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow p + \chi_c^0 (\rightarrow J/\Psi + \gamma) + \bar{p}) = 49 \pm 18(\text{stat}) \pm 39(\text{syst}) \text{ pb}$$



**Upper Limit**



# Prospects:

## Diffractive Structure Function studies:

### Goals

- ❖ Measure  $Q^2$  and  $\xi$  (at low  $\xi < 0.03$ ) dependence of  $F_{jj}^D$
- ❖ Study process dependence of  $F_{jj}^D$

$Q^2$  Dependence: **analysis in progress**

RP+J5 data:  $100 < Q^2 < 1600 \text{ GeV}^2$  range

RP+ higher jets even higher  $Q^2$

$\xi$  Dependence: **analysis in progress**

BSC(W)Gap+J5 goes below  $\xi = 0.03$

Process Dependence:

Measure  $F_{jj}^D$  from SD W (probing quark) and J/ $\Psi$  (probing gluon)



# Prospects (continued):

## Exclusive Final States studies:

### Goals

- ❖ Investigate existence/properties of exclusive final states
- ❖ Derive the cross sections or limits

### Exclusive Dijets: **analysis in progress**

extract exclusive dijets

quark/gluon composition as a function of  $R_{jj}$

DPE b-jet trigger will be implemented after summer shutdown

### Exclusive Low Mass States:

$\chi_c^0$  - DPE-J/ $\Psi$  trigger - data being collected

$\Upsilon$  - DPE  $-\gamma\gamma$  trigger in DAQ soon



# Summary

## Forward detectors are working well

- ❖ re-established Run I results using SD dijets
- ❖ no significant  $Q^2$  dependence of  $F_{jj}^D$
- ❖ Study of  $\xi$  and process dependence of  $F_{jj}^D$  in progress
- ❖ Improved upper limit on exclusive dijet production
- ❖ Obtained upper limit on exclusive  $\chi_c^0$  production
- ❖ DPE b-jet analysis in progress
- ❖ New DPE triggers

**Many new exciting results are coming soon...**